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Mrs. Sarah Brown Messerve died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Brown, in this place, at 11:30 a. m., Friday, Feb. 6, 1891, aged 21 years, 10 months and 16 days. The funeral occurred on Sunday at 2 p. m. from the Christian church, Rev. B. O. Aylesworth preaching a most beautiful and touching funeral discourse. There was a very large attendance of neighbors and friends. Messrs. L. P. Brown, of Maxwell, A. L. Brown, of Des Moines, Aaron Brown, of Belle Plaine, and M. M. and C. B. Brown, of this place, brothers of the deceased, and Mrs. B. F. Surls, of Des Moines, and Mrs. S. E. Sweeten, of Omaha, Neb., sisters of the deceased, were in attendance at the funeral. Mrs. Messerve was taken sick at the home of a friend, Mrs. Hattie Taylor, in Chicago, several weeks since, where she received the best of attention, but was finally brought back to die in the old home among the friends of her childhood. She was born, married, and died in the same room. The parents have the earnest sympathy of all.—Mitchellville Index.